

## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, On May 1, 1963, the citizens of the United States will join in a meaningful observance of Law Day USA, which has been set aside by Act of Congress, and by official proclamation of the President of the United States, as a time for reflecting upon our great heritage of individual liberty under law, and,

WHEREAS, The system of representative government under which we live is built upon laws of our own making which are administered by independent courts. The Constitution of the United States of America is the heart of the body of law and the supreme law of the land, and,

WHEREAS, Under the Constitution and Bill of Rights we are guaranteed freedom of speech, press, assembly, religious worship, and equal protection of the law. These are priceless benefits of American citizenship which must be constantly nurtured and protected, and,

WHEREAS, At a time of Crises in world affairs, the sixth annual observance of Law Day USA this year will offer timely evidence of the determination of the American people to uphold freedom and justice and the institutions which make them possible. It will further demonstrate to the world our faith in the supremacy of law as contrasted with the denial of individual freedoms in communist lands where the same date is the occasion for demonstrations of armed might, and,

WHEREAS, Public bodies, schools and colleges and private organizations of all kinds are urged to participate in the recognition of Law Day USA.

NOW THEREFORE, I, ARCHIE GUBBRUD, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby designate Wednesday, May 1, 1963 as:

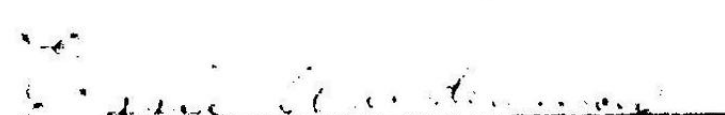
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throughout the state, and call upon all citizens to join in its observance through appropriate ceremonies, programs, and educational activities.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed on this eighth day of February, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred sixty-three.

  
ARCHIE GUBBRUD, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

  
ESSIE WILDENMAN  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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